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AMENDMENTS

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This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

- 1. (currently amended) A method for light signal reception, comprising the steps of:
 - (A) transmitting a light beam to a target;
 - (B) receiving the light beam reflected from the target and outputting a first received signal, wherein the received signal has at least one pulse;
 - (C) eliminating pulses smaller than a reference voltage level in the first received signal and determining whether a pulse is higher than the reference voltage level in the first received signal without processing by a gain circuit;
 - (D) outputting the pulse to a processor to execute operational processes when the pulse in the first received signal is higher than the reference voltage level;
 - (E) repeating the steps (A) and (B) to obtain a second received signal when, in the first received signal, no pulse is higher than the reference voltage level; and
 - (F) amplifying the second received signal and outputting to the processor to determine the distance between the target and a ranger finder according to the pulse or the amplified second received signal.
- 2. (Original) The method as claimed in Claim 1, wherein the pulses smaller than the reference voltage level are eliminated by a comparison circuit in step (C).